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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)
Francois Kayser, et al.)
For: PNEUMATIC TIRE HAVING)
A RUBBER COMPONENT)
CONTAINING HIGH)
IMPACT POLYSTYRENE)
Serial No.: 10/079,656)
Filed: February 18, 2002)

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STATUS INQUIRY

Dear Sir:

The above-referenced patent application was filed on February 18, 2002. A Notice of Publication of Application was then mailed to Attorney of Record on September 19, 2002. No correspondence has been mailed since that date and, therefore, Applicants are respectfully inquiring as to the status on this case.

Respectfully submitted,

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